GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
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Multi Modal Transport Hubs
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is considering to set up multi modal transport hubs where all modes of transport, i.e. air, road, rail and waterways, wherever possible, are within close proximity to each other;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the steps being taken in this regard;

(c) whether the Government is considering formulating a National Multi-Modal Transport Policy; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) & (b) Yes, Madam. This Ministry had carried out preliminary study through a consultant as a part of World Bank Technical Advisor (WBTA) study, to enable Move-in-India Programme in which Varanasi and Nagpur were identified for development of Inter-Modal station(IMS). NHAI is preparing Detailed Project Report(DPR) for Inter-Modal station (IMS) at Varanasi and Nagpur.

This Ministry had also finalized a scheme during 12th Five Year Plan to provide financial assistance to State Transport Undertakings to prepare detailed project reports for development of large bus terminals in States / Union Territories on BOT basis through a panel of consultants. As per the scheme, financial assistance is provided for consultancy services for development of large bus terminals in States / UTs.

(c) No, Madam.

(d) Doesn't arise in view of point (c) above.
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